UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA NORFOLK DIVISION

JOHN MATTHEWS,)
Plaintiff,))) CASE NO: 2-11-CV-00141-RGD-FBS
v.) CASE NO. 2-11-C V-00141-ROD-1 BS
PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC,)))
Defendant.))

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT

NOW COMES the Plaintiff, JOHN MATTHEWS, by and through undersigned counsel and hereby inform the Court that a settlement of the underlying issues in the present matter has been reached through acceptance of an Offer of Judgment by the Plaintiff. Pursuant to the Offer of Judgment, the reasonable attorney's fees and costs expended on behalf of Plaintiff shall be determined by the Court.

Plaintiff therefore requests that this Honorable Court vacate all dates currently set on calendar for the present matter.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 11, 2011, I electronically filed the foregoing Notice of Settlement with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF System. A copy of said Notice was electronically submitted to Steve Zahn, Attorney for Defendant, by the Court's CM/ECF system.

/s/ Richard W. Ferris Richard W. Ferris Attorney for Plaintiff